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#### STATUS INQUIRY LETTER

## Dear Sir:

Applicant, through his attorney, wishes to know the status of the above captioned patent application. The application was filed on 08/01/2003 and is a REI of 09/893,481 06/29/2001 Patent 6,533,718. To date, other than the Filing Receipt dated 10/01/2003, we have had no further correspondence from the Patent Office.

A prompt communication as to when we might expect to receive a first Office Action for this application would be appreciated.

If the Patent Office is of the opinion that direct contact with applicant's attorney would expedite the issuance process of this case, it is hereby authorized to call the undersigned collect at 727-734-2855.

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Please note new address for office is as follows: 640 Douglas Avenue, Dunedin, Florida 34698. Our Fax number is 727-734-2750. See attached Change of Attorney's Address in Application.

yours,

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### CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Status Inquiry Letter for U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 10/158,481 filed 05/30/2003, is being sent via facsimile to (703) 872-9306 and addressed to Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on this 18th day of June, 2004.